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Seema, first, on behalf of the entire Essroc team, let me simply say thank you. The thoughtful consideration by the entire EPA team and especially the thorough analysis presented by Shaun on Monday has been extremely helpful and welcome as we work to find common ground through the informal dispute resolution process.

In keeping with the collaborative approach that we have followed, I have been authorized to inform you that Essroc is committed to perform a second SCR Pilot Study. However, we believe that we need additional discussions regarding the details of the second study. In keeping with the progress we have already achieved and the cooperative nature of this informal process, we seek EPA's agreement to continue informal dispute resolution for the limited purpose of better defining the operating parameters, design, success criteria, and schedule for Essroc's performance of the second SCR Pilot Study.

If EPA agrees to continue informal dispute resolution, we will have a detailed outline for conducting the study submitted to you within the next 10 days. We can then convene a conference call to receive your comments and then finalize the plan. We are available to discuss any aspect of this request.

Thank you. Phil

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